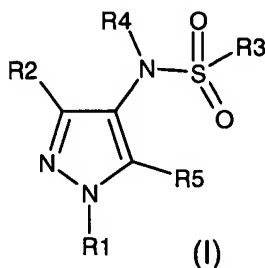


This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1.(Currently amended) A compound of formula (I) or a pharmaceutically, veterinarily or agriculturally acceptable salt or solvate thereof,



wherein:

R¹ represents phenyl or heteroaryl, optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from halo, cyano, hydroxy, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkoxy, C₁₋₆ haloalkoxy, C₁₋₆ alkanoyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkanoyl, -S(O)_nC₁₋₆alkyl, -S(O)_nC₁₋₆haloalkyl and pentafluorothio;

R² represents hydrogen, halo, cyano, nitro, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₂₋₆ alkenyl, C₂₋₆ haloalkenyl, C₂₋₆ alkynyl, C₂₋₆ haloalkynyl, -S(O)_nC₁₋₆ alkyl, -S(O)_nC₁₋₆haloalkyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkanoyl, optionally substituted by C₁₋₆ alkoxy, C₁₋₆ haloalkanoyl, optionally substituted by C₁₋₆ alkoxy, phenyl, het, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-N(R^a)R^b, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-C(O)NR^aR^b or -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-N(R^c)C(O)R⁶;

R³ represents C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₂₋₆ alkenyl, C₂₋₆ haloalkenyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, -(C₁₋₃alkylene)-S(O)_nC₁₋₆alkyl, -(C₁₋₃alkylene)-S(O)_nC₁₋₆haloalkyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-N(R^a)R^b, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-phenyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-het, -(C₂₋₃alkenylene)-phenyl, -(C₂₋₃alkenylene)-het, C₁₋₆ alkanoyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkanoyl or -N(R^c)CO₂R⁶;

R⁴ represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆haloalkyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-R⁷ or -(C₁₋₃alkylene)-R⁸;

or R³ and R⁴ taken together with the nitrogen and sulphur atoms to which they are attached form a 4 to 7-membered ring;

R⁵ represents hydrogen, hydroxy, halo, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₂₋₆ alkenyl, C₂₋₆ haloalkenyl, C₁₋₆ alkoxy, C₁₋₆ haloalkoxy, -N=C(R¹⁰)(C₀₋₅alkylene)-R¹¹ or -N(R¹²)R¹³;

R⁶ represents C₁₋₆ alkyl or C₁₋₆ haloalkyl;

R⁷ represents C₃₋₈cycloalkyl, -S(O)_nR⁹, phenyl, het, -CO₂R⁶ or C(O)N(R^a)R^b;

R⁸ represents hydroxy, C₁₋₆ alkoxy, C₁₋₆ haloalkoxy, cyano, -N(R^a)R^b or -O-C(O)R⁶;

R⁹ represents C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₃₋₈cycloalkyl, -N(R^a)R^b, phenyl or het;

R¹⁰ represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl or C₁₋₆ haloalkyl;

R¹¹ represents hydrogen, hydroxy, C₁₋₃alkoxy, -N(R^a)R^b, phenyl, het or C₃₋₈cycloalkyl, with the proviso that -N=C(R¹⁰)(C₀₋₅alkylene)-R¹¹ is not -N=CH₂;

R¹² represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkenyl or C₁₋₆ haloalkenyl;

R¹³ represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkenyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkenyl C₃₋₈cycloalkyl, phenyl, het, -(C₁₋₆alkylene)-R¹⁴, -C(O)_pR¹⁵ or -CON(R¹⁶)(C₁₋₆alkylene)-R¹⁷;

R¹⁴ represents hydroxy, C₁₋₃alkoxy, C₁₋₃haloalkoxy, C₃₋₈cycloalkyl, phenyl, het or -N(R^a)R^b;

R¹⁵ represents C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl or -(C₁₋₆alkylene)-C₁₋₃alkoxy;

R¹⁶ represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl or C₁₋₆ haloalkyl;

R¹⁷ represents hydrogen or N(R^a)R^b;

R^a and R^b independently represent hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₂₋₆ alkenyl or C₂₋₆ haloalkenyl, or R^a additionally represents -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-phenyl or -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-het, or together R^a and R^b form a 4- to 7- membered ring, optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from halo, hydroxy, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkoxy and C₁₋₆haloalkoxy;

R^c represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₂₋₆ alkenyl, C₂₋₆ haloalkenyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-phenyl or -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-het;

n represents an integer selected from 0, 1 and 2;

p represents an integer selected from 1 and 2;

where het represents a four- to seven-membered heterocyclic group, which is aromatic or non-aromatic and which contains one or more heteroatoms selected from nitrogen, oxygen, sulfur and mixtures thereof;

where heteroaryl represents a 5 or 6 membered aromatic ring which contains 1-3 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S or 4-N atoms to form a tetrazolyl;

where both phenyl and het may be optionally substituted, where the valence allows, by one or more substituents independently selected from halo, hydroxy, cyano, nitro, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkenyl, C₁₋₆haloalkenyl, C₁₋₆alkoxy, C₁₋₆haloalkoxy, C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkanoyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkanoyl, C₁₋₆ alkylcarbonyloxy, C₁₋₆ alkoxycarbonyl and NR^aR^b;

where C₃₋₈cycloalkyl may be optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from halo, C₁₋₆alkyl, C₁₋₆haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkenyl, C₁₋₆haloalkenyl, hydroxy, C₁₋₆alkoxy and C₁₋₆haloalkoxy; and

where any alkylene or alkenylene group may be optionally substituted by one or more halo.

2.(Original) A compound according to claim 1, wherein R¹ is a phenyl group which bears chloro substituents at the 2- and 6-positions, and a substituent at the 4-position selected from trifluoromethyl, difluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy, trifluoromethylthio and pentafluorothio.

3. (Currently amended) A compound according to claim 1 ~~or 2~~, wherein R² is selected from hydrogen, cyano, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, e.g. cyclopropyl, C₁₋₆ alkanoyl and -C(O)N(R^a)R^b.

4. (Original) A compound according to claim 3, wherein R² is cyano.

5. (Currently amended) A compound according to ~~any one of~~ claims 1 ~~[[4]]~~, wherein R³ is selected from C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, -(C₁₋₃alkylene)-S(O)_nC₁₋₆alkyl, -N(R^a)R^b, C₁₋₆ alkanoyl, -N(R^a)CO₂R⁶, phenyl, optionally substituted by one or more halo, and benzyl.

6. (Original) A compound according to claim 5, wherein R³ is methyl.

7. (Currently amended) A compound according to ~~any one of~~ claims 1 ~~[[6]]~~, wherein R⁴ is selected from hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, cyanomethyl, 2-hydroxyethyl, -(C₁₋₂alkylene)-het, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-phenyl, -(C₀₋₁alkylene)-S(O)_nR⁹, -(C₁₋₃alkylene)-O-C(O)R⁶, -(C₁₋₃alkylene)-C(O)N(R^a)R^b and -CO₂R⁶.

8.(Original) A compound according to claim 7, wherein R⁴ is selected from hydrogen, methyl, ethyl, trifluoromethyl, 2,2-difluoroethyl, 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl, methylsulfonyl, trifluoromethylsulfonyl, 2,2,2-trifluoroethylsulfonyl, aminosulfonyl, N,N-dimethylaminosulfonyl, methylsulfonylmethyl, cyclopropyl, cyclobutyl, cyclopropylmethyl, 1-(trifluoromethyl)cyclopropylmethyl, cyanomethyl, methoxycarbonyl, triazolylethyl, pyrimidin-4-ylmethyl, 1,2,4-oxadiazol-3-ylmethyl, pyrazol-3-ylmethyl, 1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl, 5-methyl-isoaxazol-3-ylmethyl, 2-pyridin-4-ylethyl, aminocarbonylmethyl, benzyl and 4-fluorobenzyl.

9. (Currently amended) A compound according to ~~any one of~~ claims 1 ~~[[8]]~~, wherein R⁵ is selected from hydrogen, halo, C₁₋₆ alkoxy, -N=C(H)R¹¹, where R¹¹ is ethoxy, N,N-dimethyl or phenyl, and -NR¹²R¹³.

10. (Original) A compound according to claim 9, wherein R⁵ is amino.

11. (Original) A compound of formula (I) selected from:

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2-difluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-1,1,1-trifluoro-*N*-methylmethanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-3,4-difluorobenzenesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(cyclopropylmethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(cyanomethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(pyridin-2-ylmethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-benzylmethanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-[2-(dimethylamino)ethyl]methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-1-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2-hydroxyethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-[(methylthio)methyl]methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)cyclopropanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-1-phenylmethanesulfonamide;

(*E*)-*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-2-phenylethanesulfonamide;

N-[5-amino-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl]-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

5-amino-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-4-(1,1-dioxidoisothiazolidin-2-yl)-1*H*-pyrazole-3-carbonitrile;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-1,1,1-trifluoro-*N*-methylmethanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(cyclopropylmethyl)-1,1,1-trifluoromethanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-1,1,1-trifluoro-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-cyclobutyl-1,1,1-trifluoromethanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-1,1,1-trifluoro-*N*-methylmethanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-[2-(1*H*-1,2,4-triazol-1-yl)ethyl]methanesulfonamide;

5-amino-4-[bis(methylsulfonyl)amino]-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazole-3-carboxamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethoxy)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-acetyl-5-amino-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(difluoromethoxy)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-{[1-(trifluoromethyl)cyclopropyl]methyl}methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)ethanesulfonamide;

methyl 5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl(methylsulfonyl)carbamate;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-methylmethanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2-fluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(1,2,4-oxadiazol-3-ylmethyl)methanesulfonamide;

*N*²-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*²-(methylsulfonyl)glycinamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(1*H*-pyrazol-3-ylmethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2-pyrrolidin-1-ylethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2-morpholin-4-ylethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-[(1-methyl-1*H*-imidazol-2-yl)methyl]methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-[(5-methylisoxazol-3-yl)methyl]methanesulfonamide;

[{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}(methylsulfonyl)amino]methyl pivalate;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-ethylmethanesulfonamide;

N-(5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-benzylmethanesulfonamide;

N-(5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-(4-fluorobenzyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-(5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-1-(methylsulfonyl)ethanesulfonamide;

N-(5-amino-1-[2-chloro-4-pentafluorothio-phenyl]-3-cyano-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

5-amino-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-4-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazinan-2-yl)-1*H*-pyrazole-3-carbonitrile;

N-(5-(benzylamino)-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-4-[(methylsulfonyl)(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)amino]-1*H*-pyrazol-5-yl)-2-methoxyacetamide;

ethyl 4-[bis(methylsulfonyl)amino]-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-5-ylimidoformate;

N-(3-cyano-5-[(cyclopropylmethyl)amino]-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)methanesulfonamide;

N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-4-[(methylsulfonyl)(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)amino]-1*H*-pyrazol-5-yl)acetamide;

N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-methoxy-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)methanesulfonamide;

N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-5-(methylamino)-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-[[dimethylamino)methylene]amino)-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-[2-(dimethylamino)ethyl]amino)-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-[(2-pyrrolidin-1-ylethyl)amino]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-[(2-morpholin-4-ylethyl)amino]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-[(2-piperidin-1-ylethyl)amino]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyclopropyl-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-[(pyridin-4-ylmethyl)amino]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}methanesulfonamide;

tert-butyl ({5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}amino)sulfonylcarbamate;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2-pyridin-4-ylethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(pyrazin-2-ylmethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-[(6-aminopyridin-3-yl)methyl]methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-2-oxo-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)propane-1-sulfonamide;

N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-{[3-(dimethylamino)propyl]amino}-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-[(2-piperidin-1-ylethyl)amino]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl} sulfamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-4-fluoro-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)benzenesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-2,4-difluoro-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)benzenesulfonamide;

methyl 3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-4-[(methylsulfonyl)(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)amino]-1*H*-pyrazol-5-ylcarbamate;

N-{5-([(2-aminoethyl)amino]carbonyl)amino)-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;

trifluoroacetate salt of *N*-{5-[(2-azetidin-1-ylethyl)amino]-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-{[(2,4-dihydroxyphenyl)methylene]amino}-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;

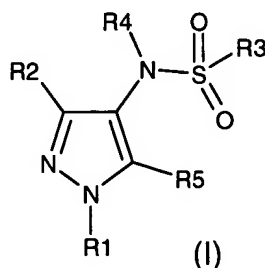
N-{5-chloro-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide; or

N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-{[3-(dimethylamino)ethyl]amino}-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof.

12- 15. (Canceled)

16. (New) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound of formula (I) or a pharmaceutically, veterinarily or agriculturally acceptable salt or solvate thereof,



wherein:

R¹ represents phenyl or heteroaryl, optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from halo, cyano, hydroxy, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkoxy, C₁₋₆ haloalkoxy, C₁₋₆ alkanoyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkanoyl, -S(O)_nC₁₋₆alkyl, -S(O)_nC₁₋₆haloalkyl and pentafluorothio;

R² represents halo, cyano, nitro, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₂₋₆ alkenyl, C₂₋₆ haloalkenyl, C₂₋₆ alkynyl, C₂₋₆ haloalkynyl, -S(O)_nC₁₋₆ alkyl, -S(O)_nC₁₋₆haloalkyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkanoyl, optionally substituted by C₁₋₆ alkoxy, C₁₋₆ haloalkanoyl, optionally substituted by C₁₋₆ alkoxy, phenyl, het, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-N(R^a)R^b, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-C(O)NR^aR^b or -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-N(R^c)C(O)R⁶;

R³ represents C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₂₋₆ alkenyl, C₂₋₆ haloalkenyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, -(C₁₋₃alkylene)-S(O)_nC₁₋₆alkyl, -(C₁₋₃alkylene)-S(O)_nC₁₋₆haloalkyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-N(R^a)R^b, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-phenyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-het, -(C₂₋₃alkenylene)-phenyl, -(C₂₋₃alkenylene)-het, C₁₋₆ alkanoyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkanoyl or -N(R^c)CO₂R⁶;

R⁴ represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-R⁷ or -(C₁₋₃alkylene)-R⁸;

or R³ and R⁴ taken together with the nitrogen and sulphur atoms to which they are attached form a 4 to 7-membered ring;

R⁵ represents hydrogen, hydroxy, halo, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₂₋₆ alkenyl, C₂₋₆ haloalkenyl, C₁₋₆ alkoxy, C₁₋₆ haloalkoxy, -N=C(R¹⁰)(C₀₋₅alkylene)-R¹¹ or -N(R¹²)R¹³;

R⁶ represents C₁₋₆ alkyl or C₁₋₆ haloalkyl;

R⁷ represents C₃₋₈cycloalkyl, -S(O)_nR⁹, phenyl, het, -CO₂R⁶ or C(O)N(R^a)R^b;

R⁸ represents hydroxy, C₁₋₆ alkoxy, C₁₋₆ haloalkoxy, cyano, -N(R^a)R^b or -O-C(O)R⁶;

R⁹ represents C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₃₋₈cycloalkyl, -N(R^a)R^b, phenyl or het;

R¹⁰ represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl or C₁₋₆ haloalkyl;

R¹¹ represents hydrogen, hydroxy, C₁₋₃alkoxy, -N(R^a)R^b, phenyl, het or C₃₋₈cycloalkyl, with the proviso that -N=C(R¹⁰)(C₀₋₅alkylene)-R¹¹ is not -N=CH₂;

R¹² represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkenyl or C₁₋₆ haloalkenyl;

R¹³ represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkenyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkenyl C₃₋₈cycloalkyl, phenyl, het, -(C₁₋₆alkylene)-R¹⁴, -C(O)_pR¹⁵ or -CON(R¹⁶)(C₁₋₆alkylene)-R¹⁷;

R¹⁴ represents hydroxy, C₁₋₃alkoxy, C₁₋₃haloalkoxy, C₃₋₈cycloalkyl, phenyl, het or -N(R^a)R^b;

R¹⁵ represents C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl or -(C₁₋₆alkylene)-C₁₋₃alkoxy;

R¹⁶ represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl or C₁₋₆ haloalkyl;

R¹⁷ represents hydrogen or N(R^a)R^b;

R^a and R^b independently represent hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₂₋₆ alkenyl or C₂₋₆ haloalkenyl, or R^a additionally represents -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-phenyl or -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-het, or together R^a and R^b form a 4- to 7- membered ring, optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from halo, hydroxy, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkoxy and C₁₋₆haloalkoxy;

R^c represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₂₋₆ alkenyl, C₂₋₆ haloalkenyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-phenyl or -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-het;

n represents an integer selected from 0, 1 and 2;

p represents an integer selected from 1 and 2;

where het represents a four- to seven-membered heterocyclic group, which is aromatic or non-aromatic and which contains one or more heteroatoms selected from nitrogen, oxygen, sulfur and mixtures thereof;

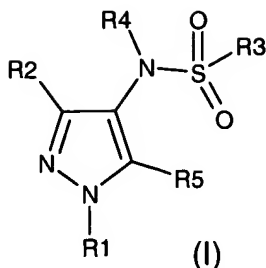
where heteroaryl represents a 5 or 6 membered aromatic ring which contains 1-3 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S or 4-N atoms to form a tetrazolyl;

where both phenyl and het may be optionally substituted, where the valence allows, by one or more substituents independently selected from halo, hydroxy, cyano, nitro, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkenyl, C₁₋₆haloalkenyl, C₁₋₆alkoxy, C₁₋₆haloalkoxy, C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkanoyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkanoyl, C₁₋₆ alkylcarbonyloxy, C₁₋₆ alkoxycarbonyl and NR^aR^b;

where C₃₋₈cycloalkyl may be optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from halo, C₁₋₆alkyl, C₁₋₆haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkenyl, C₁₋₆haloalkenyl, hydroxy, C₁₋₆alkoxy and C₁₋₆haloalkoxy; and

where any alkylene or alkenylene group may be optionally substituted by one or more halo.

17. (New) A method of treating a human or animal with a parasitic infection comprising the administration of a compound of formula (I) or a pharmaceutically, veterinarily or agriculturally acceptable salt or solvate thereof,



wherein:

R^1 represents phenyl or heteroaryl, optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from halo, cyano, hydroxy, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkoxy, C_{1-6} haloalkoxy, C_{1-6} alkanoyl, C_{1-6} haloalkanoyl, $-S(O)_n C_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-S(O)_n C_{1-6}$ haloalkyl and pentafluorothio;

R^2 represents halo, cyano, nitro, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{2-6} alkenyl, C_{2-6} haloalkenyl, C_{2-6} alkynyl, C_{2-6} haloalkynyl, $-S(O)_n C_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-S(O)_n C_{1-6}$ haloalkyl, $-(C_{0-3}$ alkylene)- C_{3-8} cycloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkanoyl, optionally substituted by C_{1-6} alkoxy, C_{1-6} haloalkanoyl, optionally substituted by C_{1-6} alkoxy, phenyl, het, $-(C_{0-3}$ alkylene)- $N(R^a)R^b$, $-(C_{0-3}$ alkylene)- $C(O)NR^aR^b$ or $-(C_{0-3}$ alkylene)- $N(R^c)C(O)R^6$;

R^3 represents C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{2-6} alkenyl, C_{2-6} haloalkenyl, $-(C_{0-3}$ alkylene)- C_{3-8} cycloalkyl, $-(C_{1-3}$ alkylene)- $S(O)_n C_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-(C_{1-3}$ alkylene)- $S(O)_n C_{1-6}$ haloalkyl, $-(C_{0-3}$ alkylene)- $N(R^a)R^b$, $-(C_{0-3}$ alkylene)-phenyl, $-(C_{0-3}$ alkylene)-het, $-(C_{2-3}$ alkenylene)-phenyl, $-(C_{2-3}$ alkenylene)-het, C_{1-6} alkanoyl, C_{1-6} haloalkanoyl or $-N(R^c)CO_2R^6$;

R^4 represents hydrogen, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, $-(C_{0-3}$ alkylene)- R^7 or $-(C_{1-3}$ alkylene)- R^8 ;

or R^3 and R^4 taken together with the nitrogen and sulphur atoms to which they are attached form a 4 to 7-membered ring;

R^5 represents hydrogen, hydroxy, halo, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{2-6} alkenyl, C_{2-6} haloalkenyl, C_{1-6} alkoxy, C_{1-6} haloalkoxy, $-N=C(R^{10})(C_{0-5}$ alkylene)- R^{11} or $-N(R^{12})R^{13}$;

R^6 represents C_{1-6} alkyl or C_{1-6} haloalkyl;

R^7 represents C_{3-8} cycloalkyl, $-S(O)_n R^9$, phenyl, het, $-CO_2R^6$ or $C(O)N(R^a)R^b$;

R⁸ represents hydroxy, C₁₋₆ alkoxy, C₁₋₆ haloalkoxy, cyano, -N(R^a)R^b or -O-C(O)R⁶;

R⁹ represents C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₃₋₈cycloalkyl, -N(R^a)R^b, phenyl or het;

R¹⁰ represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl or C₁₋₆ haloalkyl;

R¹¹ represents hydrogen, hydroxy, C₁₋₃alkoxy, -N(R^a)R^b, phenyl, het or C₃₋₈cycloalkyl, with the proviso that -N=C(R¹⁰)(C₀₋₅alkylene)-R¹¹ is not -N=CH₂;

R¹² represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkenyl or C₁₋₆ haloalkenyl;

R¹³ represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkenyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkenyl C₃₋₈cycloalkyl, phenyl, het, -(C₁₋₆alkylene)-R¹⁴, -C(O)_pR¹⁵ or -CON(R¹⁶)(C₁₋₆alkylene)-R¹⁷;

R¹⁴ represents hydroxy, C₁₋₃alkoxy, C₁₋₃haloalkoxy, C₃₋₈cycloalkyl, phenyl, het or -N(R^a)R^b;

R¹⁵ represents C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl or -(C₁₋₆alkylene)-C₁₋₃alkoxy;

R¹⁶ represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl or C₁₋₆ haloalkyl;

R¹⁷ represents hydrogen or N(R^a)R^b;

R^a and R^b independently represent hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₂₋₆ alkenyl or C₂₋₆ haloalkenyl, or R^a additionally represents -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-phenyl or -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-het, or together R^a and R^b form a 4- to 7- membered ring, optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from halo, hydroxy, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkoxy and C₁₋₆haloalkoxy;

R^c represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkyl, C₂₋₆ alkenyl, C₂₋₆ haloalkenyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-phenyl or -(C₀₋₃alkylene)-het;

n represents an integer selected from 0, 1 and 2;

p represents an integer selected from 1 and 2;

where het represents a four- to seven-membered heterocyclic group, which is aromatic or non-aromatic and which contains one or more heteroatoms selected from nitrogen, oxygen, sulfur and mixtures thereof;

where heteroaryl represents a 5 or 6 membered aromatic ring which contains 1-3 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S or 4-N atoms to form a tetrazolyl;

where both phenyl and het may be optionally substituted, where the valence allows, by one or more substituents independently selected from halo, hydroxy, cyano, nitro, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkenyl, C₁₋₆haloalkenyl, C₁₋₆alkoxy, C₁₋₆haloalkoxy, C₃₋₈ cycloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkanoyl, C₁₋₆ haloalkanoyl, C₁₋₆ alkylcarbonyloxy, C₁₋₆ alkoxy carbonyl and NR^aR^b;

where C₃₋₈cycloalkyl may be optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from halo, C₁₋₆alkyl, C₁₋₆haloalkyl, C₁₋₆ alkenyl, C₁₋₆haloalkenyl, hydroxy, C₁₋₆alkoxy and C₁₋₆haloalkoxy; and

where any alkylene or alkenylene group may be optionally substituted by one or more halo.